

Amendments to the Drawings:

The attached sheet of drawings includes changes to Fig.3. This sheet, which includes Figs.1-3, replaces the original sheet including Figs. 1-3.

In Figure 3, the first occurrence of "CE1" (on the left hand side) has been changed to "CE2", consistent with page 21, line 7 of the application as filed.

Attachment: Replacement Sheet and Annotated Sheet Showing Change

II. REMARKS

A Introduction

In this Office Action claims 38-70 are noted as pending and are subject to an election of species.

In response to the election requirement, Applicant elects the embodiment of Figures 6-8. New dependent claim 71 is added herein to recite more clearly the embodiment of Figures 6-8, and claims 39, 40, and 45-48 also read on this embodiment.

Otherwise, amendments are made to the claims to improve their form and clarity.

Also, minor amendments are made to the specification, including the drawings, to also improve its form and clarity.

III. Conclusion

In light of the above amendments and remarks, it is respectfully submitted that the claims are now in condition for allowance.

If there are any additional fees associated with this Response, please charge same to our Deposit Account No. 19-3935.

Finally, if there are any formal matters remaining after this Response, the undersigned would appreciate a telephone conference with the Examiner to attend to these matters.

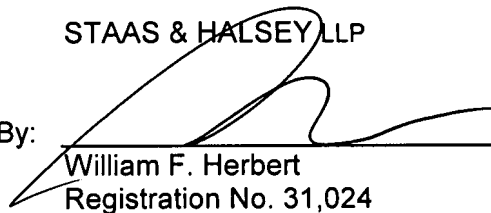
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FIG. 1

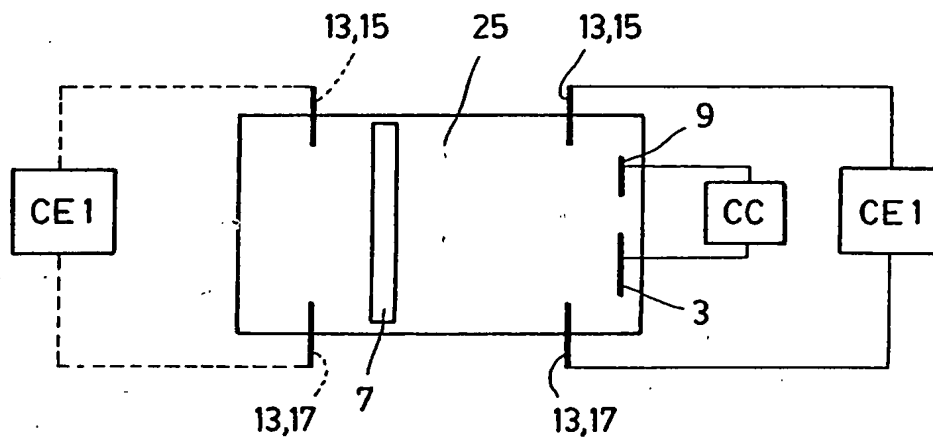


FIG. 2

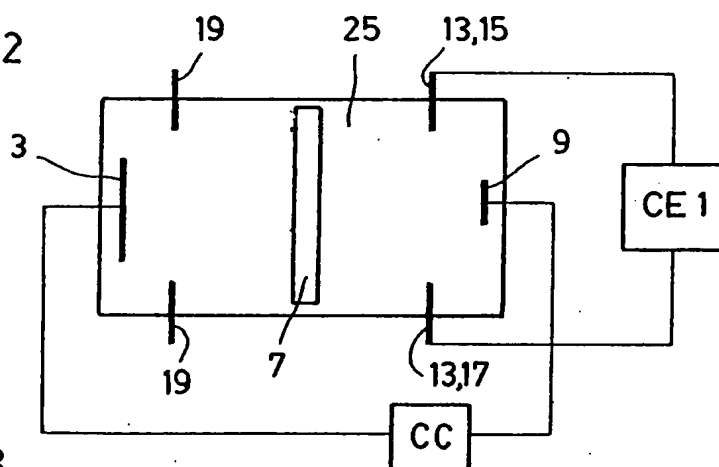


FIG. 3

